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DON-NAVY-2020-003637

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Mr. Paul F. Williamson
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1828 L Street, NW, Suite 705
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Dear Mr. Williamson,

Subj: YOUR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA); CASE NUMBER
DON-NAVY-2020-003637

We are providing a response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of January 16, 2020, where you request the following for contract M40080-13-C-0151:

"...Crystal hereby formally requests that NAVFAC Furnish Crystal with a certified copy of the Prime Contract as well as any and all payment bonds acquired by MHJV for the project."

We have enclosed two records consisting of 57 pages, which are being withheld in part, pursuant to exemptions 5 U.S.C. § 552 (b) (4) and (b) (6) of the FOIA.

- a) FOIA Exemption 4 protects trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person that is privileged or confidential.
- b) FOIA Exemption 6 exempts from disclosure, personnel and/or medical files, which if released, would cause a clearly unwarranted invasion of an individual's personal privacy.

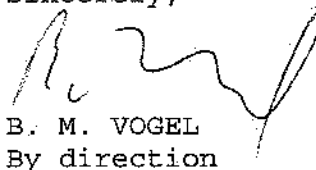
If you consider this response an adverse determination, you may appeal. Since you have created an account in FOIAonline, you may submit an appeal directly within this web-based system. To do this, you would log in to your account, retrieve your original request, and then click on the "Create Appeal" tab in the left-hand column. The basic information from your request will be duplicated for you, and then you can type in the basis of your appeal. If you prefer to use regular mail, you may submit an appeal to:

The Department of the Navy
Office of the General Counsel (ATTN: FOIA APPEALS)
1000 Navy Pentagon, Room 5A532
Washington, DC 20350-1000

Your appeal, if any, must be postmarked within 90 calendar days from the date of this letter and should include a copy of your initial request, a copy of this letter, and a statement indicating why you believe your appeal should be granted. For any further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request, you have the right to contact the Department of the Navy FOIA Public Liaison, Mr. Christopher Julka, at christopher.a.julka@navy.mil or (703) 697-0031. Additionally, you have the right to contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, MD 20740-01, ogis@nara.gov; (202) 741-5770; toll free at (877) 684-6448; or facsimile at (202) 741-5769.

Further questions regarding the action this office has taken may be directed to Abby Machalec, abby.machalec@navy.mil. Please refer to your FOIA case number DON-NAVY-2020-003637 whenever corresponding about this request.

Sincerely,



B. M. VOGEL
By direction